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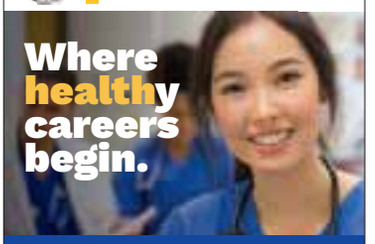

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BROOKLYN MUSEUM

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EVA KIS, FEATURES EDITOR

You may know Frida Kahlo for her distinctive eyebrows, incredible Mexican fashions or soul-searching self-portraits. But do you really know her? A deep and thoughtful exploration of the life, history, culture and relationships of one of the 20th century's best-known female artists is what you'll find at the Brooklyn Museum — see photos of the exhibit and an overview of the 300-plus items inside, but more importantly, go check it out.

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Banks weigh whether to embrace or avoid AOC

1 Barely a month into the new Congress, financial lobbyists in Washington are already strategizing how to handle the star power of rookie Democrat lawmaker Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez. The Democratic Socialist and Wall Street critic joined the 60-member House Financial Services Committee in mid-January and more than a dozen lobbyists interviewed by Reuters say the 29-year-old activist and former bartender is too high-profile to ignore. Richard Hunt, chief executive of the Consumer Bankers Association, said he had not encountered a lawmaker like Ocasio-Cortez in more than 20 years in Washington. "She has the ability to influence unlike a lot of other freshmen." The youngest woman ever to serve in Congress, Ocasio-Cortez has become a social media phenomenon with her posts and live-streams on everything from climate change to skin care tips.

Teen texting suicide case conviction upheld in Mass.

2 Massachusetts' top court Wednesday upheld the manslaughter conviction of a woman accused of goading her teenage boyfriend into committing suicide in 2014 with text messages and phone calls, in a case that drew national attention to cyberbullying. The Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court agreed with a lower court's 2017 ruling on Michelle Carter, who prosecutors said urged her 18-year-old boyfriend, Conrad Roy, to kill himself in a parking lot near Boston. The case, the first in the state to consider manslaughter charges tied to texting, raised concerns among civil liberties advocates who said Carter was being prosecuted for her speech. But Justice Scott Kafker said the evidence supported a finding that Carter "badgered" Roy by phone to get back into a carbon monoxide-filled truck he had stepped out of, after "constantly pressuring" him in text messages to commit suicide.

Three new galleries complete museum transformation

3 Margot Murray stands next to Weituo, dating back to China's Qing dynasty, at the National Museums Scotland as they unveiled the culmination of a 15-year, $103 million transformation of the museum with three new galleries on Wednesday in Edinburgh, Scotland. The redevelopment has created displays with internationally significant material from Ancient Egypt and East Asia and objects from the museum's ceramic collection.

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Body recovered from plane carrying soccer star Sala

4 A body has been recovered from the wreckage of the plane that was carrying Argentina-born professional soccer player Emiliano Sala and pilot David Ibbotson, the Air Accidents Investigation Branch (AAIB) in Britain said late on Wednesday. The agency did not disclose the identity of the body. Sala, 28, had been en route from Nantes in western France on Jan. 21 to make his debut for Premier League team Cardiff City when the plane disappeared over the English Channel. The wreckage was found on Sunday following a privately-funded underwater search. The body was "successfully recovered" but attempts to recover the aircraft wreckage were unsuccessful, the AAIB said in a statement. The overall operation was brought to an end due to "poor weather conditions," the agency said.

Tinder growth powers Match earnings beat

5 Match Group beat Wall Street estimates for fourth-quarter revenue and profit on Wednesday as its popular dating app, Tinder, attracted more subscribers, sending its shares up as much as 12 percent in extended trading. Match has been investing heavily in Tinder and its other dating services as it looks to grab a bigger slice of the online dating market, which is estimated to touch $12 billion in 2020 by Nomura analysts. Tinder — which has made "swipe left" and "swipe right" a point of pop culture conversations — added 233,000 average subscribers in the quarter, bringing its total average subscriber count to 4.3 million, or 1.2 million more than a year earlier. Overall subscribers at Match rose to 8.2 million. The company faces stiff competition from a host of rivals including Bumble, which recently launched its app in India, a market with huge potential for dating-related services.

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5. qwerty	-2	5. football	-2
6. iloveyou	-0	6. iloveyou	new
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‘El Chapo’ jury deliberations to stretch into fourth day

Jurors asked to review days’ worth of testimony from key prosecution witnesses.

Jury deliberations in the trial of accused Mexican drug cartel boss Joaquin “El Chapo” Guzman were expected to stretch into a fourth day after jurors asked to review days’ worth of testimony from key prosecution witnesses.

Guzman, 61, is accused of trafficking tons of cocaine, heroin, marijuana and methamphetamine into the United States as leader of Mexico’s Sinaloa cartel. He twice escaped from prison in Mexico; if convicted, he will face a U.S. prison sentence of up to life.

The 11-week trial in federal court in Brooklyn, in which more than 50 witnesses testified, offered the public an unprecedented look into the inner workings of the cartel, named for the state in northwestern Mexico where Guzman was born in a poor mountain village.

The defense has argued Guzman was set up as a “fall guy” by Ismael “El Mayo” Zambada, a Sinaloan drug kingpin who remains at large.

On Wednesday afternoon, jurors asked to review the testimony of Zambada’s brother, Jesus “El Rey” Zambada, and son, Vicente Zambada, as well as of Guzman’s former top lieutenant, Damaso Lopez. U.S. District Judge Brian Cogan told them they would get transcripts of the testimony as soon as they were ready.

The three witnesses pleaded guilty to U.S. charges and agreed to testify against Guzman. All of them spoke at length about Guzman’s alleged drug trafficking.

The jurors also asked whether the killing of drug cartel members by members of a rival cartel for personal reasons counted as a “drug trafficking crime.”

One of the 10 criminal counts against Guzman, engaging in a continuing criminal enterprise, includes the charge that he conspired to murder cartel enemies. The jury gave no indication of whether their question related to any particular murder.

Cogan instructed the jurors that if a drug cartel member was murdered for “wholly personal” reasons unrelated to drug trafficking, it was not a drug trafficking crime.

The 12 jurors appeared relaxed and even cheerful as they entered the courtroom to receive Cogan’s instructions. They had already asked on Tuesday to review the testimony of two other witnesses who were cooperating with prosecutors, Colombian drug traffickers Jorge and Alex Cifuentes, as well as part of Jesus Zambada’s testimony about manufacturing methamphetamine.

The jurors left court around 4:15 p.m. on Wednesday, and were expected to return at about 9:30 a.m. on Thursday. They began deliberating early Monday afternoon. REUTERS

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Kathryn Garcia, NYC sanitation commissioner since 2014, will be the new NYCHA interim chair. GETTY IMAGES

Garcia named NYCHA interim chair

The sanitation commissioner will replace Stanley Brezenoff to helm the beleaguered public housing system.

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A week after news that the federal government would have more oversight over the troubled New York City Housing Authority, more changes are coming to the public housing system. Mayor Bill de Blasio announced that Kathryn Garcia, the city's sanitation chief since 2014, will run NYCHA as the new interim chair.

Garcia succeeds Stanley Brezenoff, who was named interim chair of NYCHA in April 2018 and will depart later this month. Brezenoff inherited the nation's largest public housing system after a lead paint scandal led then-Chairwoman Shola Olatoye to step down from the position.

In the announcement of the new NYCHA chair, the city applauded some of Brezenoff's accomplishments — including launching a plan to deliver $24 billion in repairs for 1,750,000 residents; a contract with the Teamsters that provides seven-day service for public housing residents; and improving response times to heating outages — but the public housing system is still facing myriad issues.

NYCHA's current repair needs top $31 billion over the next five years. Last week, on the coldest day of the year so far, more than 10,000 NYCHA residents experienced heat and hot water outages. That same day, Housing and Urban Development Secretary Ben Carson came to New York City to sign an agreement with de Blasio that calls for a federal monitor to oversee the public housing system.

After praising Brezenoff's run, de Blasio on Tuesday introduced Garcia by saying in a statement that "there is no better person to continue our turnaround effort at NYCHA than Kathryn."

"She is a battle-tested leader who has taken on sprawling challenges from eradicating lead exposure to overhauling the broken commercial carting industry," he added. "She is ready to fight every day for the 400,000 New Yorkers who call NYCHA home."

Garcia is currently the NYC Sanitation Department's 43rd commissioner, a position she's held since 2014, when she was appointed by de Blasio. In that time, she's worked on ways to reach the city's Zero Waste goal, put into operation new initiatives like organics collection and overhauled the city's snow-clearing operations by prioritizing certain snow plow routes, per the mayor.

Before that role, she was COO at the Department of Environmental Protection where she oversaw, among other things, the delivery of safe drinking water to those in the five boroughs and upstate New York.

Garcia also spearheaded the launch of Lead Free NYC, announced in January, which is the city's plan to end childhood lead exposure and will eliminate lead paint hazards in NYCHA apartments and family shelters.

Brezenoff will step down on Feb. 15. When de Blasio and Carson signed the NYCHA deal last week, he had said, "I've been trying to get out of this job for months," according to The New York Times.

"I am going to work every single day to make life better for the 400,000 New Yorkers who call NYCHA home."

Kathryn Garcia

In a statement, he said that helming NYCHA is "one of the toughest and most rewarding jobs in America. I will leave this interim role knowing that we are putting NYCHA in very capable hands."

"I am going to work every single day to make life better for the 400,000 New Yorkers who call NYCHA home," Garcia said in a statement. "There's been real progress — now it's time to go farther and faster. We have a plan to renovate tens of thousands of apartments and an agreement with the federal government to improve all of our key services to residents. I'm ready to roll up my sleeves and put these plans into action."

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A rendering of what the proposed streetcar might look like.

FRIENDS OF THE BROOKLYN QUEENS CONNECTOR

BQX streetcar one step closer to reality

The city's on track to build the $2.7 billion line up the East River waterfront.

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The long-embattled Brooklyn Queens Connector (BQX) is taking another step toward realization, as the city's Economic Development Corporation (EDC) commissioned an "Environmental Impact Statement" for the project on Wednesday.

"Today's EDC announcement is a critical step forward for the BQX project and the thousands of New Yorkers who stand to benefit from increased transit access in their neighborhood," said Tom Wright, president of the Regional Plan Association. "The BQX has the potential to connect areas of Brooklyn and Queens that have never been accessible by public transit before, create new jobs and build a forward-thinking system that serves current residents and withstands growing capacity to the region."

The city will pay $7.25 million to consulting firm VHB to assess how the proposed 11-mile streetcar track will affect the environment around it, namely the riverfront between Sunset Park, Brooklyn and Astoria, Queens. Additionally, the statement will have to list and analyze viable alternatives to the streetcar plan, as well as identify ways to reduce or avoid possible negative impacts, which include gentrification and "changing the community character."

Advocates for the streetcar line say that it will allow underserved communities, including 40,000 NYCHA residents in "transit deserts" who don't have easy access to public transit otherwise. Opponents of the plan, including transit rider advocacy group TransitCenter, argue that the city's money could be better spent elsewhere.

"We don't expect the ridership to justify the cost," Ben Fried, a TransitCenter spokesperson, told the Wall Street Journal.

Unlike the MTA, which is under the control of its own group of city- and state-appointed officials, plans like the BQX streetcar line and New York's ferry system are controlled by the city alone, meaning that Mayor Bill de Blasio wouldn't need to petition the state for funding. However, following a feasibility study in August of last year, the de Blasio administration will seek $1 billion from the federal government to help finance the plan.

"Today's news makes it clear: The BQX is moving forward," said Jessica Schumer, executive director of the Friends of the Brooklyn Queens Connector organization, in a statement.

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The BQX streetcar is anticipated to cost the city around $2.7 billion.

The BQX streetcar is anticipated to cost the city around $2.7 billion, though Mayor Bill de Blasio's administration does not expect construction to begin until around 2024. The city expects the line to serve 50,000 riders per day in its first year, helping them reach homes and workplaces along the east bank of the East River. The line will run through Long Island City, where Amazon's much-opposed HQ2 is slated to be built.

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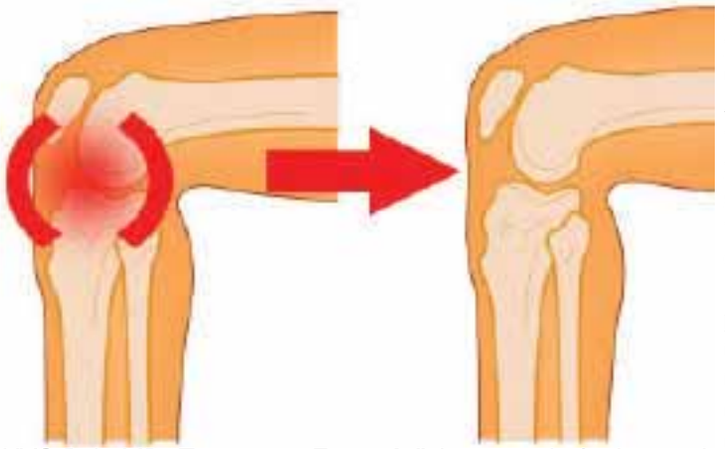

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Officials, activists still call for L train shutdown changes

Mitigation plans, like a busway and more bike lanes, should still be in place, some say.

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Though the complete L train shutdown has been canceled, elected officials, transportation activists and employees of Citi Bike are calling on the city to keep in place L train mitigation plans, like bike lanes and a dedicated 14th Street busway.

When it was expected that the L train would be shut down for 15 months between Manhattan and Brooklyn, city officials offered additional traffic and transit options to help out to-be stranded straphangers.

Those mitigation plans included an exclusive busway on 14th Street, added pedestrian walkways, new bike lanes and a Citi Bike expansion.

Gov. Andrew Cuomo announced that a complete L train shutdown was no longer necessary in the beginning of January. Though the MTA was silent on the sudden change of plans for a few days, the authority finally agreed, announcing on Jan. 18 that the shutdown was officially off.

But no officials have said what this turn means for these mitigation plans, and transit activists argue the changes are still necessary to ease traffic congestion, increase pedestrian and bike safety and make the city more accessible for all New Yorkers.

"Buses are critical for people with disabilities," Assembly Member Harvey Epstein said at the Wednesday morning rally at 14th Street and 1st Avenue in Manhattan. "They rely on our bus service. We need to make 14th Street more accessible for buses so we can move the city around."

Officials took to calling the new situation an "L train slowdown," rather than shutdown, specifically criticizing the M14 bus for its notorious snail's pace.

The L train will not be completely shuttered for 15 months, but straphangers will see service disruptions on nights and weekends. The new plan is to close one tunnel of the two-way Canarsie Tunnel at a time, and run

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L trains in both directions on the other tunnel.

Some officials are concerned that this could cause long wait times between trains, leaving straphangers frustrated on the subway platform. Officials said the reduced service could mean 20-minute train headways, but a leaked draft memo said L train wait times could stretch to "40 minutes or more."

"No rider should be on a platform for 40 minutes waiting for a train," Sen. Brad Hoylman said at the Wednesday rally.

"Buses are critical for people with disabilities. They rely on our bus service. We need to make 14th Street more accessible for buses so we can move the city around."
Assembly Member Harvey Epstein

But not everyone wants the mitigation plans to stay in place. The 14th Street Coalition has said that the New Yorkers who live on that street are being ignored when it comes to transit concerns, and that the busway, bike lines and vehicle bans would make it nearly impossible to park or drive in that community.

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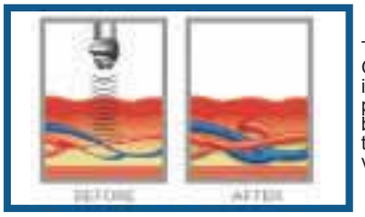

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					4 people	$39,840 - $62,580
3 bedroom		3	3	→	3 people	$46,046 - $56,340
					4 people	$46,046 - $62,580
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Scandals shake top Virginia Democrats

AG Mark Herring admitted to donning blackface.

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Virginia's attorney general on Wednesday admitted he wore blackface at a college party, becoming the state's third high-ranking Democrat caught up in scandal since the release of a racist photo from Gov. Ralph Northam's medical school yearbook.

Attorney General Mark Herring said in a statement that he donned brown face paint at a party in 1980 to impersonate a rapper. Northam admitted last weekend to having worn blackface — a practice that dates to 19th-century minstrel shows caricaturing slaves — in 1984 to impersonate Michael Jackson.

Democrats have become increasingly focused on promoting diversity and rooting out patterns of sexual misconduct in many American institutions. In that context, Northam's admission sparked immediate calls for his resignation from fellow Virginia Democrats and national political figures, including at least five 2020 White House candidates.

A separate scandal relating to Democratic Lt. Gov. Justin Fairfax, who is black and would succeed Northam were he to step down, intensified on Wednesday when a woman accused him of sexually assaulting her at the Democratic National Convention in 2004.

The woman, Vanessa Tyson, in a statement issued by Washington law firm Katz, Marshall & Banks said that Fairfax forced her to perform oral sex on him in a hotel room at the time.

"I cannot believe, given my obvious distress, that Mr. Fairfax thought this forced sexual act was consensual," Tyson said in the statement, which was published by multiple U.S. media outlets. The law firm did not immediately respond to a request for a copy of the statement.

A conservative website first reported Tyson's allegations on Monday.

Fairfax maintained in a Wednesday statement that the incident was consensual. REUTERS

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Actress Jennifer Lawrence is engaged to art gallery director

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Oscar-winning actress Jennifer Lawrence, one of the most popular film stars in the world, is engaged to her boyfriend, an art gallery director, according to multiple media sources.

Her future husband is Cooke Maroney, 34, her representative confirmed to People Magazine, the publication reported on its website.

Lawrence 28, was spotted wearing a "massive ring" and enjoying what appeared to be a celebratory dinner with Maroney at a French restaurant in New York City recently, according to Page Six, which reports on celebrities.

She won the Oscar as best actress for her role in the 2012 romantic comedy "Silver Linings Playbook." Also known for her role as the heroine archer Katniss Everdene in the blockbuster "Hunger Games" film series, Lawrence has been nominated for three other Oscars for her roles in "Winter's Bone," "American Hustle" and "Joy."

Maroney is an art gallery director at the Gladestone Gallery in New York, USA Today reported.

Neither her manager or a representative with her public relations firm were immediately available for comment early Wednesday. Telephone calls to Maroney's art gallery were not immediately returned.

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Aries Making personal improvements and gathering information and facts will lead to positive changes in your personal life. Take on responsibilities that will encourage advancement and a better future.

Taurus Focus on what you can accomplish instead of dwelling on the impossible. Taking a unique path will be entertaining and exciting, but don't let it turn into a costly lesson.

Gemini Relationships will be confusing. Keep an open mind, but don't let anyone railroad you into something that isn't in your best interest. A proposal is only worthwhile if it's profit-focused.

Cancer Push to do things that are creative and entertaining and bring out the best in you. A personal change will lift your spirits when someone special compliments you.

Leo A networking function or a friend will make you aware of an opportunity that can help you use your skills and experience in new and exciting ways. Follow through and see what happens.

Virgo A change will do you good. Visit a place you haven't been before or reconnect with an old friend at a reunion. The experience you have will change the way you move forward.

Libra Get out with friends. Surround yourself with people who appreciate who you are and what you have to offer. Take care of your responsibilities, but distance yourself from demanding individuals.

Scorpio Follow your dreams. Be open to new ideas and ways of doing things. A change of location or a trip to somewhere new and unfamiliar will spark your imagination.

Sagittarius Don't let anyone get away with stretching the truth. Be ready to offer the facts and do your best to bring about positive change. Do the right thing.

Capricorn Make relationships a priority. Do your best to include the people you care about most in your plans. Someone from your past will bring back old memories. Don't give in to temptation.

Aquarius Rethink your strategy and make sure that you have done everything according to the rules. Moderation should be implemented into everything you do to avoid waste or loss.

Pisces Set the record straight and honor promises. What you do to help others will set the stage for what's to come. Play fair and aim to keep things equal. EUGENIA LAST

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A barbecue in the middle of winter

Brooklyn's Pig Beach is doing its part to usher in warmer weather by hosting chef Shuai Wang from South Carolina's Short Grain for a one-night-only, four-course dinner, bringing his Asian influences to traditional dishes. Just a few highlights: crispy smoked pork with Chinese mustard aioli, sticky fried ribs and cornbread with miso-sorghum butter. **Feb. 7, 6 p.m., 480 Union St., Brooklyn, $65, leisurelyapp.co**

Rock out with New Years Day

The most metal pop band in rock music, New Years Day, is dropping a new album this spring and going on tour — but you can hear it first at an exclusive free performance at Sony Square NYC, including a Q&A with the band and a meet & greet. It's first come, first served, so this one's for the true fans. **Feb. 7, doors at 6 p.m., 25 Madison Ave., free, sony.com**

A Valentine's Day party for black hearts

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Two international club nights land in New York

Underground party leaders Teksupport are bringing two legendary parties to Brooklyn this weekend. On Friday, Feb. 8, London deep house party Fuse makes its New York debut with Seb Zito, Archie Hamilton and Enzo Siragusa, then on Feb. 9, catch techno/house/electronica master Maceo Plex when he brings the eclectic dance party Mosaic alongside Helena Hauff, Axel Bowman and Danny Daze. **99 Scott Studio, 99 Scott Ave., Brooklyn, $25-$99, tixr.com**

There's no straight man in this comedy show

Stories, singing, comedy — you get a little bit of everything at a Justin Sayre production. The actor/writer/bon vivant is back at Joe's Pub this weekend with an all-new variety show, "Queer Revolution Live!," showcasing the many talents of LGBTQ performers from across the city. **Feb. 9-10, 9:30 p.m., 425 Lafayette St., $25, joespub.publictheater.org**

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Chill out, dude

Immersive screening masters BBQ Films is starting a Green Screen series "celebrating cinema, cannabis and community." For four Sundays beginning Feb. 10, they're bringing nostalgia like an arcade and cartoons, stand-up comedy and trivia to Chelsea Music Hall, leading up to a good-vibes-only way to watch some of your favorite movies. Costumes or comfy PJs encouraged. This weekend's feature is "Half Baked." **Feb. 10, 17, 24 & March 3, doors at 4:20 p.m., Chelsea Music Hall, 407 W. 15th St., $20-$50, bbqfilms.com**

Last chance: Celebrate Mickey Mouse's 90th birthday

Did you know Mickey got his big break in New York? After getting his start at the Broadway Theatre in 1928, Walt Disney's most famous creation is back, this time in the Meatpacking District. The pop-up gallery — what else? — is called "Mickey: The True Original" and reveals relics from the Disney Vault among original artworks by modern artists both internationally known and local. Plenty of Insta-worthy moments, an ice cream booth by Ample Hills and other surprises await. **Through Feb. 10, Tues-Sun from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., 60 10th Ave., $38, showclix.com**

Extended: Bumper cars take to the ice

Cruise the ice at Bryant Park's Winter Village in something new this year: ice bumper cars! Now extended through Sunday, Feb. 24, they're $15 for 10 minutes of driving time — which should be just enough to rattle your teeth. **Available Mon-Wed from noon-5 p.m., Thurs-Sun from 2-8 p.m., wintervillage.org**

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What does your selfie say about you?

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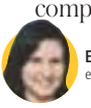
Frida Kahlo in full

The Brooklyn Museum's stunning new exhibit about Frida Kahlo reveals a beautiful but complicated life.



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Glamorous, disabled, Communist, free-spirited, nonbinary — Frida Kahlo was all of these and something even more ethereal, a brief but incredible life on full display at the Brooklyn Museum's new exhibit "Frida Kahlo: Appearances Can Be Deceiving."

Gathering over 300 objects, many of them from Kahlo's home Casa Azul in Mexico and on view in the U.S. for the first time, the exhibit takes in the full story of one of the 20th century's most celebrated female artists in all her complex and complicated splendor.

"An in-depth look at the work and life of Frida Kahlo was long overdue in New York," says Anne Pasternak, director of the Brooklyn Museum. "Frida's story is one of courage that speaks profoundly and powerfully to us even today."

Spanning four galleries, Frida Kahlo's story

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"The Love Embrace of the Universe" (1949), by Frida Kahlo.

At left, Kahlo's jewelry; at right, a portrait of her at work by Bernard Silberstein.

unfolds thanks to her compelling beauty and personality that captured the attention of people throughout her life. There are intimate family portraits by her photographer father Guillermo Kahlo, a German immigrant to Mexico, from Kahlo as a little girl receiving her first communion to a teenager who wore a man's three-piece suit for a family photo at age 19.

Born in 1907, Frida Kahlo didn't intend to become an artist until a horrific traffic accident in 1925 left her confined to bed during a lengthy recovery and ended her education to become a doctor. Out of boredom, she took up a paintbrush, sometimes using a mirror to create her works as her movements were restricted by braces and corsets. Several of these, like the colorful Tehuana outfits she was known for, are also on display, painted and decorated like the rest of her wardrobe.

The exhibit covers a lot of history, from Kahlo's Communist efforts to her unhappy marriage to Diego Rivera and her long, on-again, off-again love affair with Hungarian-American photographer Nickolas Muray, whose iconic portraits of Kahlo appear throughout in the exhibit. He lived in New York, where Kahlo visited several times, including for an exhibition of her art, prompting Vogue's Bertram D. Wolfe to proclaim, "Madame Rivera seems herself a product of her art, and, like all of her work, one that is instinctively and calculatedly well composed."

Though the exhibit is named for her, "Appearances Can Be Deceiving" contains just 11 of Kahlo's works. But viewers are rewarded by each self-portrait — both realistic and metaphorical — as they reveal a new aspect of her, supported by intensely personal items like her makeup, perfume, clothing and even handmade toys for a baby she miscarried.

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Telling Frida Kahlo's story — that of a proud Mexican woman who also challenged conventional ideas of gender, politics and disability — also serves another purpose in our troubled moment in history.

"Museums have an opportunity to build bridges of understanding compassion and respect in these trying and troubled times," says Pasternak. "The time is now to spotlight Mexico's history, tradition and culture."

"Frida Kahlo: Appearances Can Be Deceiving" is open Feb. 8-May 12 at the Brooklyn Museum, 200 Eastern Pkwy., Prospect Heights. The exhibition is open seven days a week; tickets are $20-$35 depending on the day and time; brooklynmuseum.org

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Unlike recent pop-ups for dogs like the outdoor sculpture park dOGUMENTA and the Instagram gallery Human's Best Friend, the AKC Museum of the Dog is for humans only, opening Friday, Feb. 8, at 101 Park Ave. a block away from Grand Central.

Dedicated to showcasing works by famous dog artists including Sir Edwin Landseer, Maud Earl and Arthur Wardle, the two-story Museum of the Dog will be home to hundreds of paintings, drawings, watercolors, prints, sculptures, bronzes and porcelain figurines, as well as decorative objects and interactive displays showing our humans' long history with dogs.

There will be rotating exhibits, too, the first of which will feature works from the AKC's collection called "For the Love of All Things Dog."

And because this is the Museum of the Dog, the tour guide couldn't be anyone but Arty, an app-based virtual dog who'll take visitors through the halls and interact with the exhibits.

"This museum is a beautiful ode to man's best friend, and we are thrilled to bring these pieces and exhibitions to new audiences," says Alan Fausel, the museum's executive director.

Meet your new BFF

There are, of course, several ways the museum also wants to help you make the right "forever friend" for your home and personality. Find Your Match is an interactive exhibit that takes your photo and matches it with an AKC-registered breed — they do say owners and their dogs look alike! There are also Meet the Breeds touchscreen tables where visitors can learn about the history, temperament and needs of all AKC-registered dogs.

This actually marks a return to the city for the Museum of the Dog. It first opened inside the New York Life Building in 1982, then moved to Missouri in 1987. The new museum is, a little ironically, housed in what's known as the Kalikow Building alongside the AKC's New York headquarters.

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Now that Super Bowl weekend is over (for another year, at least), the second full weekend of February is rife with all kinds of TV goodies for audiences to check out. From the 61st Annual Grammy Awards on CBS to the midseason premiere of AMC's hugely popular "The Walking Dead," here's what to watch on TV this weekend.

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"PATRIOT ACT"

NETFLIX

Feb. 10 on Netflix

Also returning from a brief hiatus is comedian Hasan Minhaj's post-"Daily Show" program "Patriot Act." The topical series, which made headlines over the break when Netflix pulled an episode critical of Saudi Arabia from subscribers in the region, follows along as the comic performs a "Last Week Tonight"-esque deep dive into various subjects. New episodes will debut every Sunday on the streamer for the foreseeable future.

61ST ANNUAL GRAMMY AWARDS

Feb. 10 at 8 p.m. on CBS

This Sunday night, singer Alicia Keys will host the 2019 Grammy Awards telecast on CBS. Keys and dozens of celebrity presenters, fellow musicians and otherwise, will spend the evening presenting many of the recording academy's 80 or so trophies to various groups and individuals. And as always, many of the nominees will be on hand to perform selections from their nominated songs or previews of things to come. Kendrick Lamar and Drake lead the pack with eight and seven nominations, respectively.

"THE WALKING DEAD"

Feb. 10 at 9 p.m. on AMC

AMC's flagship original series "The Walking Dead" returns from a brief midseason break with "Adaptation," the ninth episode of season 9. Written by Corey Reed and directed by Greg Nicotero, the episode sees the surviving community members coming together after Rick's (Andrew Lincoln) departure to deal with an entirely new threat known only as "The Whisperers."

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‘The Lego Movie 2’ suggests ‘everything is not awesome’

Will Arnett, Phil Lord and Christopher Miller on building the bricktacular sequel.

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The highly-anticipated sequel hits theaters this weekend. WARNER BROS. ANIMATION

“The Lego Movie” was one of the most surprising movies of 2014.

Originally expected to be gimmicky and hollow, the film was instead funny, charming, beautiful and surprisingly profound. It also made a huge amount of money, so a sequel was always likely.

There was just one problem. The ending of “The Lego Movie” meant a follow-up would be complicated.

At the end of the original it is revealed that the whole animated adventure is actually being played out by a boy named Finn using the tiny figures from his father (Will Ferrell)’s huge Lego set, which he isn’t supposed to touch. Ultimately, Ferrell allows both his son and young daughter to play. But she incorporates Duplo, who in the animated world, announce their plans to destroy everyone.

“We certainly painted ourselves into a corner,” admits co-producer and co-writer Phil Lord. “When we added that Duplo thing, you think that’s a good and fun twist ending, not a good sequel springboard.”

“It was an interesting challenge having audiences understand that this takes place in the imagination of the human world,” adds his collaborator Christopher Miller. “Being able to dynamically play with the interplay between the live action human world and the imagination Lego world created some interesting opportunities in inventive storytelling.”

Will Arnett, who voices the Lego version of Batman for the third time in the franchise, always knew Lord and Miller would find the perfect way to merge the animated and live-action worlds while delivering a powerful and important message.

“They do a really good job of capturing that Lego, for so many millions of children, represents a time of blind optimism and creativity,” says Arnett. “You remember back to times where you were just able to play in this incredibly creative unencumbered way. Building stuff and creating your own world. They’ve really captured that.”

“Then they’ve set that against, you know, as we get older we live in a world where it’s encouraged to remove childlike qualities and toughen kids up for the real world. I get that. But don’t lose that sense of childlike wonderment. Don’t lose that playful side. These are good traits for children to have. We shouldn’t be so quick to beat it out of them.”

That’s a sentiment that Lord wholeheartedly agrees with.

“At 12 or 13, you’re not so innocent anymore. You’re at the crossroads where you can either be a cynic or not and we’re making the argument that you can have your eyes open and still try to effect positive change,” says Lord. “Because real maturity means that you can listen to other people and have kindness and positivity in the face of a world that you now understand isn’t as simplistically ideal as you maybe thought it was.”

“We want people to come out of the movie feeling more positive and more optimistic than they were going out and being honest about the nuances of the world,” adds Miller. “That’s something we didn’t get a chance to do in the first movie when we said that everything was awesome. But in real life, everything isn’t exactly awesome.”

“The Lego Movie 2: The Second Part” opens in theaters Feb. 8.

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Maya Erskine and Anna Konkle on their unique coming-of-age comedy 'PEN15'

Erskine and Konkle star as 13-year-old versions of themselves in the new Hulu series.

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Head back to school with this new Hulu series. ALEX LOMBARDI/HULU

"Seventh grade is going to be so amazing!" Maya (Maya Erskine) declares in the first episode of "PEN15." On the other end of the phone, Anna (Anna Konkle) agrees. "It's going to be really, really good."

Therein lies the main conceit of Hulu's new comedy series, which Erskine and Konkle co-created with Sam Zvibleman. The show sees the two 30-something actresses playing 13-year-old versions of themselves. So while "PEN15" looks back at the turn of the millennium with a nostalgic lens not unlike Bo Burnham's "Eighth Grade," it does so with the silliness of "Wet Hot American Summer's" casting adults as kids.

"At first, many of these kids thought we were really 13 but just a little freakish," Erskine tells Metro. "Like, they thought something was off about us because we were there acting alongside them, but I had this weird bowl cut and Anna is super tall."

"I remember this moment with the girl we'd cast as the popular kid in one episode," Konkle laughs at the mention of the bowl cut. "Everyone was directed to go into a classroom and sit down. When we were all sitting together, I heard her whisper to another actor, 'Is that her real hair?' I just died laughing."

As ridiculous as the concept of two adult actors playing significantly younger versions of themselves might seem, however, "PEN15" isn't simply doing what "Wet Hot American Summer" did before it. On the contrary, Erskine and Konkle's comedic take on middle school in the year 2000 treats its subject matter with as much seriousness as Burnham's film. The comedy and the drama blend so well, in fact, that it's easy to forget they're not actually 13 years old.

"We were aiming to try to be as authentic as possible in our portrayal of being 13," Erskine explains. "That was always the goal because everything was so hyper-real when we were 13. We did everything we could to ground the show, the writing and our acting in reality as much as possible. So having real kids to play off of was really helpful for us."

"By the end of the shoot, I think they finally kind of got it, the 13-year-old actors," adds Konkle. "Because in the beginning, when we were working with them I think they were still coming to terms with these older people who were trying to be like them. I don't think they really had any idea what they were getting into at first, but they were all so great about it."

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Several months ago, a musician I enjoy announced a U.S. tour, which included Salt Lake City, where I live. However, the date he was supposed to be playing a concert in my hometown didn't work for me. I had planned an international trip and was supposed to be out of town. Upon looking over all the tour dates, I noticed that he'd be playing a show in Las Vegas, which is within drivable distance from Salt Lake City, on a date that worked for me. Of course, I didn't want to drive seven hours each way by myself, so I decide to fly.

Southwest Airlines operates a base in Las Vegas, and often it isn't hard to find an inexpensive fare between the two cities with the airline. At the time, the flights were only $49 each way, which further solidified my desire to fly—it would've cost me more money to drive.

But why would I pay $98 when I can use miles? If you aren't familiar with Southwest and Rapid Rewards, its frequent-flyer program, the program is revenue-based. What this means is that the number of miles needed to book an award flight directly correlates to its cash cost. The cheaper the flight is, the fewer the miles you need to book it.

So, my round-trip flight to Las Vegas ended up costing me just 5,058 Rapid Rewards points + $11.20 in cash. The cash portion of the cost amounted to fewer than two Caramel Macchiatos from Starbucks (including sales tax and tip). I ended up staying with two friends whom I hadn't seen in about six months and had a wonderful time at the concert. Executing this journey would've been more difficult logistically had I not had access to airline miles.

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You might be wondering how I obtained Rapid Rewards points to make the trip happen. There are three ways to earn them: by flying Southwest, of course, by holding a co-branded Southwest credit card or by holding a bank credit card that earns flexible points. In my case, it was the latter option—I have the Chase Sapphire Preferred Credit Card that partners with Southwest, and I can transfer Ultimate Rewards points I earn with this card to the airline's rewards program at a 1-to-1 ratio.

I already had some Rapid Rewards points in my Southwest account, but as cheap as it was, I didn't have enough for a round-trip flight. I transferred the remaining points I needed from the Chase Sapphire Preferred Card, which was an instant transfer, and off to Vegas I went.

As a new cardholder, you will earn 50,000 Ultimate Rewards points after spending $4,000 in the first three months of opening an account. If that sounds like a lot, think about where your money goes. You can easily meet the spending requirements by paying bills, groceries and car expenses with the same card for a few months. You will earn double miles on all your dining and travel purchases, which will help you earn the points even faster and reach your travel goals sooner.

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This is how credit cards can help make your family travel more about fun and less about labor.

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Many travel credit cards come with an annual fee — but if you're traveling with a family, it might still save you money.

The Chase Sapphire Reserve offers complimentary Priority Pass Select membership, which lets you and a limited number of guests relax in one of over 1,000 airport lounges worldwide. Most such lounges are equipped with some variety of food and drink, which can save you a few bucks and the hassle of waiting in line at general airport vendors. At the very least, you can recharge your phone (and yourself) in relative peace.

Of course, that card charges an annual fee of $450. But you can find many co-branded airline credit cards that cost much less to carry, while still offering perks like free checked bags for you and your brood.

The Gold Delta SkyMiles Credit Card from American Express, for example, has an annual fee of $0 for the first year, then $95. It comes with a free-checked-bag perk for the primary cardholder and up to eight companions traveling on your reservation. With airline bag fees as high as $30 each one way, this benefit alone can more than offset the card's annual fee.

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2 Tack on a free extra night at the hotel

Some co-branded hotel credit cards — like the Marriott Rewards Premier Plus Credit Card and the IHG Rewards Club Premier Credit Card — will grant you a free night each year after your account anniversary just for having the card. That can easily outstrip the cost of these cards' annual fees, while also allowing you to plan for a slightly longer trip.

It might even free up some of your vacation funds to use toward a special experience or memory-maker on the itinerary that may not have otherwise been possible.

3 Sleep in on checkout day

If you have a co-branded hotel card, chances are it comes with some type of elite status. This can mean perks like early check-in and extended checkout times. So instead of trying to get everyone up, dressed, fed and packed in an end-of-vacation frenzy, you can make the last hotel day count and move at your own leisurely pace.

Owning a hotel's co-branded card may also give you access to other benefits like free Wi-Fi, concierge services and room upgrades when available — all of which can make your life easier when on the road with kids.

4 Handle incidentals seamlessly

This may sound obvious, but using a credit card instead of cash can just be, well, easier.

No need to fumble with bills and coins at the ticket counter. No need to bring your wallet down to the pool or beach. Just grab a credit card and go — or, if you can, charge the expense to your room and settle up when you check out.

It's a heck of a lot easier to hand over your credit card instead of cash, whether you're wearing winter gloves, have sunscreened palms or are just holding a little one's hand.

5 Pay the trip off over time, sans interest

A vacation can be a budget-buster even for the most frugal of families. If you're looking to take a big trip and you need some extra time to pay it off, having a credit card with a 0% intro APR offer on purchases can help.

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Giants may pass on Foles

The Giants might not be ready to part with Eli Manning just yet. What happens next?

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If the Giants don't want to break the bank on a quarterback, Nick Foles won't be the answer. GETTY IMAGES

As the New York Giants continue to consider their future when it comes to the quarterback position, news out of Philadelphia suggested that Big Blue is about to have a big target available on the market.

It depends on whether or not it's via free agency or trade.

Philadelphia Eagles quarterback Nick Foles declined the mutual 2019 option of his contract, paying the 2018 Super Bowl champions $2 million to set himself up for unrestricted free agency.

The Eagles have until Mar. 5 to decide whether or not to exercise a franchise tag on the 30-year-old, who delivered the franchise its first Super Bowl title while winning the game's MVP honors against the dynastic New England Patriots.

Franchise tagging Foles would allow the Eagles to trade the quarterback, which would likely ensure a strong return rather than losing him for nothing on the free-agent market while Carson Wentz remains the golden boy in Philadelphia.

Either way, this is an established quarterback who has had a monster two years when called upon, suddenly available for the Giants' taking.

It remains to be seen whether or not Eli Manning will remain in New York as the 38-year-old has regressed into a dink-and-dump passer behind a sieve-like Giants offensive line. While his numbers on paper were solid, throwing for 4,299 yards with a career-best 66-percent completion rating, the Giants are in need of a more athletic quarterback to fit into an offense that features big-time playmakers like Odell Beckham Jr., Saquon Barkley, and Evan Engram.

Working with Giants head coach Pat Shurmur in the past, Foles is a mobile enough quarterback to at least extend the play. But more importantly, he's been playing within an Eagles offense that stresses him getting the ball out of his hands quickly while still creating big plays.

It only seems like a logical match.

Yet, Giants beat writer Dan Duggan of the Athletic pumped the breaks on that notion.

"The sense is the Giants will stick with the two-time Super Bowl MVP [Manning]," Duggan wrote. "The Giants are far more likely to pursue Manning's successor in the draft than paying $20 million per year for a free agent like Foles."

The Giants hold the No. 6 pick in the 2019 NFL Draft where they can very well be the first team to pick a quarterback. The teams choosing before them — the Cardinals, 49ers, Jets, Raiders, and Buccaneers — have established starting quarterbacks, though the Raiders and Buccaneers could possibly try to move on from Derek Carr and Jameis Winston, respectively.

As it stands, the top-rated quarterback in the 2019 draft class is Ohio State passer Dwayne Haskins, who is coming off a monster 50-touchdown season with the Buckeyes while passing for 4,831 yards. He's made it known this winter that he would like to be drafted by the Giants, but there is a possibility a team like the Jacksonville Jaguars could trade up and swipe him.

It could lead the Giants to take a chance on reigning Heisman Trophy winner and Oklahoma product Kyler Murray or Missouri's Drew Lock.

Regardless of who the Giants pick, the plan could very well be to redshirt their draft pick while Manning at least starts the final year of his contract. Should Manning struggle or the organization believes it's the right time, New York's drafted quarterback of the future could come in and take the starting job.

Just like Manning did with Kurt Warner 15 years ago.

Brown, Green could headline Jets WR options

The Jets have been linked with Antonio Brown, but could there be other big-play options available at wide receiver? GETTY IMAGES

With the NFL season officially over, New York Jets fans will try to erase the image of seeing Joe Namath hand deliver the Lombardi Trophy to the arch-rival New England Patriots and focus on an offseason that is filled with promise.

The Jets are expected to be major players on the market this winter as they have enough cap space to pursue almost any target they deem fit for the organization, whether it's through free agency or a trade.

One of the main objectives is to surround second-year quarterback Sam Darnold with reliable, All-Pro level talent to help further develop the USC product who many tab as the second coming of Joe Namath.

Pro Bowl safety Jamal Adams has already started the recruitment of free-agent rusher Le'Veon Bell, who is one of the top dual-threat backs in the league. While he looks for a contract near that pays $17 million per year, the Jets are tabbed as the early favorites to sign Bell once free agency begins on Mar. 14.

It provides an immediate upgrade from the tandem of Isaiah Crowell and Bilal Powell, the latter sustaining a neck injury that was originally believed to be career threatening.

While much of the focus is on Bell, Darnold's outside threats in the terms of wide receivers do not exactly instill much confidence for the young quarterback.

Robby Anderson has become a surprising outside threat, Jermaine Kearse adds a veteran presence in the slot, while Quincy Enunwa hasn't played a full season since 2016. Neither carry No. 1 receiver capabilities nor have they proven to be reliable enough for Darnold.

The biggest name that comes to the forefront is Bell's former Pittsburgh Steelers teammate Antonio Brown, who is headed for an unceremonious split with his current team. Gang Green has enough trade assets to pique Pittsburgh's interest and has the cap space to take his contract completely off the Steelers' books.

There will be questions of whether or not the Jets should introduce that kind of personality into the team's locker room seeing how he fractured things in Pittsburgh. He was also reportedly involved in a domestic dispute on Tuesday in Miami, but not arrested.

If the Jets are looking for another option, SNY's Ralph Vacchiano noted on Monday night that the Jets could try and make a move for Cincinnati Bengals star receiver AJ Green. While he recovers from a toe injury that required surgery, the seven-time Pro Bowler has a potential out in his contract this offseason.

While he's said in the past that he wants to remain in Cincinnati, the firing of Marvin Lewis could shake things up a bit. So it's something to keep an eye on.

JOE PANTORNO

Wheeler's future with Mets unclear

The right-hander's value is extremely high after last season. What will the Mets do with free agency looming?

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If the Mets don't want to extend Zack Wheeler's contract, a trade could be imminent this summer. GETTY IMAGES

While the New York Mets have one of the better trios of starting pitchers in Major League Baseball, they really don't have any of them locked down.

Reigning NL Cy Young Award winner Jacob deGrom is under team control until 2020, but long-term extension talks have been dragging at a snail's pace this offseason, which isn't improving any notion of the 30-year-old sticking around in Queens.

His status as one of the game's best pitchers has taken some of the focus off No. 3 pitcher Zack Wheeler, who is coming off the best season of an injury-riddled career.

The 28-year-old, who accrued over 180 innings of work for the first time since 2014, went 12-7 with a 3.31 ERA. The second half of his season was even better as he went 8-1 with a 1.59 ERA in his final 10 starts of the season. That ERA was just 2.30 in his last 17 starts.

It was the kind of performance the Mets expected when they traded Carlos Beltran for him back in 2011. Yet there is no indication that he'll be staying with the Mets despite finally hitting his stride.

SNY's Andy Martino reported that the Mets are "undecided" on whether they will commit their future to Wheeler.

The righty will be an unrestricted free agent at the end of the 2019 season, which leaves the door for a move near the trade deadline wide open at the moment.

Wheeler's name cropped up in trade talks during last year's July 31 deadline as well amidst a dizzying amount of rumors that suggested the Mets would also move deGrom or Noah Syndergaard, who is under team control until 2021.

As the deadline came down to the wire, though, it was actually Wheeler who was getting most of the attention from other teams seeing as he could be had at a lesser value compared to the other two Mets aces.

Those trade talks picked back up again during the winter, though Syndergaard was most notably linked with the crosstown-rival Yankees in a suggested three-team deal that would have seen the Mets get catcher JT Realmuto from the Miami Marlins.

If Wheeler builds off his second half of the 2018 season this year, his value is only going to go up. Should the Mets struggle this summer, or if they're looking for a big bat, Wheeler could become a key rental for a contending team in need of pitching down the stretch.

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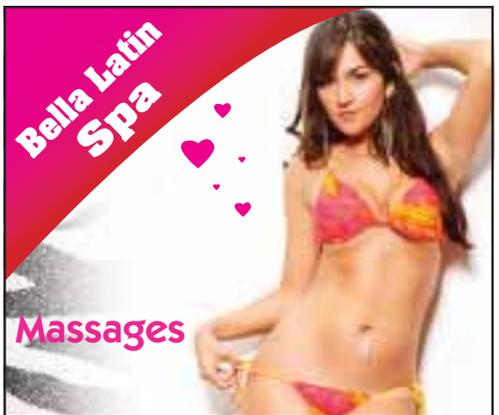

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HSBC BANK USA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION AS TRUSTEE FOR NOMURA ASSET ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION, MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-AR4, Plaintiff, v. INDRADAT TILAK, SUMNIE TILAK, et al., Defendants
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In pursuance of a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered in the office of the County Clerk of Queens County on June 27, 2017, I, Frank Bruno, Jr., Esq., the Referee named in said Judgment, will sell in one parcel at public auction on February 15, 2019, at the Queens County Supreme Court located at 88-11 Sutphin Boulevard, Courtroom 25, Jamaica, County of Queens, State of New York, at 10:00 A.M., the premises described as follows: 211-15 90th Court a/k/a 211 15 90th Court, Queens Village, NY 11428 SBL No.:
BLOCK 10568 LOT 26
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Plaintiff's Attorney
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SUPREME COURT
COUNTY OF QUEENS
HSBC Bank USA, National Association as Indenture Trustee for First NLC Trust 2005-3, Plaintiff -against- Mohamed Rasheed, Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. as nominee for First Continental Mortgage and Investment Corp., New York City Environmental Control Board, New York City Transit Adjudication Bureau, Ryans Express Equities Inc., Worldwide Asset Purchasing, LLC, Reeno Sumra, Defendant(s) Pursuant to a judgment of foreclosure and sale entered on January 29, 2018 I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at QUEENS COUNTY SUPREME COURT, 88-11 SUTPHIN BOULEVARD, JAMAICA, NEW YORK, IN COURTROOM #25 on February 15, 2019 at 10:00 AM premises known as 101 44 125th Street, South Richmond Hill, NY 11419-2202. ALL that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, lying and being in the Borough and County of QUEENS, City and State of New York. Block: 9491 Lot: 28 Approximate amount of lien $528,609.00 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed judgment Index # 13107/2009 Michael Dikman, Esq., REFEREE STEIN, WIENER AND ROTH, L.L.P., ATTORNEYS FOR THE PLAINTIFF ONE OLD COUNTRY ROAD, SUITE 113 CARLE PLACE, NY 11514 DATED: January 8, 2019 FILE #: WELLS 69083

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(Block: 10308, Lot: 52).
Approximate amount of lien $628,777.59 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed judgment and terms of sale.
Index No. 118-13.
Craig Zim, Esq. Referee.,
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A/K/A YOGNIE DAIOWRAJ
A/K/A YOGNIE A. DAIOWRAJ, et al Defendants
Attorney for Plaintiff(s)
Fein, Such & Crane, LLP,
28 East Main Street Suite 1800, Rochester, NY 14614
Attorney (s) for Plaintiff (s).
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Block 11620 Lot 41.
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Supreme Court
County Of Queens
Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., Plaintiff AGAINST Harry O'Berry a/k/a Harry E. O'Berry, Michael J. Sancho a/k/a Michael Sancho, Marilyn Sancho, and Terri Ann Sancho, et al, Defendant Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly dated 4/6/17 and entered on 4/18/17, I, the undersigned Referee, will sell at public auction at the Queens County Courthouse, 88-11 Sutphin Blvd., Courtroom 25, Jamaica, NY on February 22, 2019 at 10:00 AM premises known as 14-90 Point Breeze Place, Far Rockaway, NY 11691. All that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements erected, situate, lying and being in the County of Queens, City and State of New York, BLOCK: 15689, LOT: 29. Approximate amount of judgment is $767,138.34 plus interests and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index # 702867/2013.
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COUNTY OF QUEENS
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HSBC Bank USA, National Association as Trustee for Wells Fargo Asset Securities Corporation, Mortgage Asset-Backed Pass-Through Certificates, Series 2007-PA3, Plaintiff AGAINST Susan Coronel; Alex Coronel; et al., Defendant(s) Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly dated February 2, 2017 I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Queens County Supreme Courthouse, Courtroom #25, 88-11 Sutphin Boulevard, Jamaica, New York on February 15, 2019 at 10:00AM, premises known as 58-23 60th Place, Maspeth, NY 11378. All that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough and County of Queens, City and State of NY, Block: 2727 Lot(s): 2. Approximate amount of judgment $627,522.15 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index# 11927/2013.
Kerry J. Katsorhis, Esq., Referee
Shapiro, DiCaro & Barak, LLC
Attorney(s) for the Plaintiff
175 Mile Crossing Boulevard
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Dated: December 27, 2018 60251

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SUPREME COURT
QUEENS COUNTY
JPMORGAN CHASE BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, Plaintiff against ROSE NEDGEE JOLIDAS, et al Defendants
Attorney for Plaintiff(s)
Fein, Such & Crane, LLP,
28 East Main Street Suite 1800,
Rochester, NY 14614
Attorney(s) for Plaintiff(s).
Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered September 29, 2016, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at Queens County Supreme Court, 88-11 Sutphin Blvd., Jamaica, New York 11435, in Courtroom #25 on March 8, 2019 at 10:00 AM.
Premises known as 113-44 199th Street, Saint Albans, NY 11412.
Block 10993 Lot 326.
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David Dikman, Esq., Referee
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I, Eva Anderson hereby notify David Gray that a complaint for divorce on grounds of desertion has been filed on April 18, 2018. Docket # FM-04-1118-18. In the Superior Court of New Jersey/ Family Division, 2nd floor, 101 S. 5th St., Camden, NJ 08103, 856-379-2200. You hereby have 35 days from February 1st, 2019 to contact the court in writing, in person, or have your representative (attorney) respond on your behalf. If a response is not made in the 35 day time frame the said complaint will proceed without you.

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COUNTY OF QUEENS
HSBC BANK USA, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION AS TRUSTEE FOR WELLS FARGO ASSET SECURITIES CORPORATION, MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2006-AR19, Plaintiff AGAINST NORMA LOPEZ, et al., Defendant(s) Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale duly dated July 10, 2017 I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Queens County Courthouse in Courtroom #25, 88-11 Sutphin Boulevard, Jamaica, New York, on March 01, 2019 at 10:00AM, premises known as 95-26 107TH STREET, OZONE PARK, NY 11416.
All that certain plot piece or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements erected, situate, lying and being in the Borough and County of Queens, City and State of New York, BLOCK 9390, LOT 15. Approximate amount of judgment $709,583.95 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment for Index# 9552/11.
ALEN R. BEERMAN, ESQ., Referee
Gross Polowy, LLC
Attorney for Plaintiff
1775 Wehrle Drive, Suite 100
Williamsville, NY 14221 60685

SUPREME COURT
COUNTY OF QUEENS
THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF PATCHOGUE HOMES CORP. CONDOMINIUM #1, Plaintiff - against - ALVARO MENDEZ et al. Defendant(s) Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale dated November 28, 2018 and entered December 21, 2018 I, the undersigned Referee will sell at public auction at the Queens County Supreme Courthouse, 88-11 Sutphin Blvd., in Courtroom #25, Jamaica, NY on March 1, 2019 at 10:00 a.m. premises situate, lying and being in the Borough and County of Queens, City and State of New York, known and designated as Unit 4-H in the condominium known as "Patchogue Homes Corp. Condominium #1", together with a .7337 percent undivided interest in the common elements. Section: 50 Block 11417 Lot: 1408. Said premises known as 85-09 151st AVENUE, UNIT 4H, HOWARD BEACH, NY Approximate amount of lien $29,857.00 plus interest & costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment and Terms of Sale.
Index # 703092/2016
JOHN DALLI, ESQ. Referee., Novitt, Sahr & Snow, LLP
Attorney(s) for Plaintiff
118-35 Queens Blvd, Ste. 1515
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Johanne A. Francisco
Plaintiff vs. Alazar Campis Defendant
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PENNYMAC CORP., Plaintiff against RIGOBERTO PEREZ, et al Defendants Attorney for Plaintiff(s) Fein, Such & Crane, LLP, 28 East Main Street Suite 1800, Rochester, NY 14614 Attorney (s) for Plaintiff (s). Pursuant to a Judgment of Foreclosure and Sale entered August 10, 2018, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the Queens County Supreme Court, 88-11 Sutphin Blvd., Jamaica, New York 11435, in Courtroom #25 on March 1, 2019 at 10:00 AM. Premises known as 112-04 93rd Avenue, Richmond Hill, NY 11418. Block 9320 Lot 91. All that certain plot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the Borough and County of Queens, City and State of New York. Approximate Amount of Judgment is $591,597.31 plus interest and costs. Premises will be sold subject to provisions of filed Judgment Index No 6112/2013.
Peter M Carrozzo, Esq., Referee RSHC322

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14 Come in second
15 Most populous Hawaiian island
16 West or Sandler
17 Occurring shortly after giving birth
19 Facial twitch
20 Cowboy's shoes
21 Roper's rope
22 Necklace fastener
24 Sick
25 Black-and-blue mark
27 Man of the cloth
30 Is a breadwinner
31 Tremble
33 Embrace
35 "Get lost!"
36 Eyeglasses, for short
37 First word, often
38 __ up; arrange
39 __ from; besides
40 __-miss; haphazard
41 Benumb
43 Singer Bobbie
44 Immature flower
45 Sudden forward rush
46 Kareem __-Jabbar
49 Sheets of ice on the sea
51 Curved bone
54 Rowdy
56 TV's "What's My __?"
57 At __; immediately
58 Banquet
59 Suffix for confer or insist
60 Long-haired oxen
61 Trait transmitters
62 Turkish chief's title

DOWN

1 Dry riverbed
2 Wrong
3 Onyx or sapphire
4 Set oneself against
5 Single-masted sailboat
6 Throw
7 Goes on stage
8 Elected official: abbr.
9 Self-esteem
10 Sups
11 Therefore
12 Japanese wrestling form
13 Dyer's tub
18 TV's "Kate & __"
20 Male singing voice
23 Dryer residue
24 Aggravates
25 Elizabeth's nickname
26 Ran fast
27 Treaty
28 Breaking to bits
29 Abnormal growth
31 Spick-and-__
32 That girl
34 City in Indiana
36 Ran fast
37 Actress __-Na Wen
39 Big person
40 Cluckers
42 Mistreats
43 Company
45 Contemptible person
46 Johnny Cash's "__ Named Sue"
47 __ fide; genuine
48 Van Dyke or Van Patten
49 Unrestricted
50 Money lent
52 Peruvian Indian
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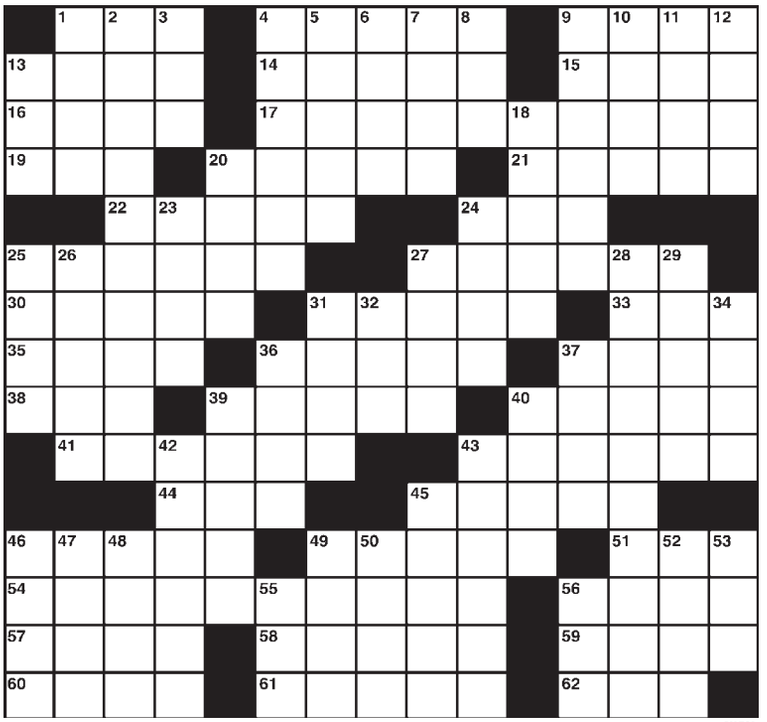

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